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The Honorable Adam Kinzinger U.S. House of Representatives 1221 Longworth Office Building Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Representative Kinzinger:

The Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) supports the "Veteran-Centered Access to Coordinated Health Care Act" (H.R. 3858) that permits the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to enter into contracts with health care providers to improve health care access and care coordination for veterans. The bill would enhance VA coordination of this care received outside of a VA. In rural communities, veterans aren't getting the care they need because they live too far from a VA facility. By ensuring that all veterans have the opportunity to get care that's closer and more convenient, this legislation would eliminate this problem.

The Association is grateful for your sponsorship of this much needed legislation and stands ready to assist you in its passage. The FRA point of contact is John Davis, Director of Legislative Programs, at the above numbers or (john@fra.org).

Sincerely,

National Executive Director

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